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- 2. Our firm's check in the amount of \$170.00 to cover the surcharge and the recordation fee;
- 3. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; and
- 4. Our postcard receipt.

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